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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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Dear Sir:

This Response is being filed in response to the Office Action mailed August 14, 2001 for the above identified application (Paper No. 7) in which the Examiner required restriction between Group I (claims 1-6) and Group II (claims 7-8).

Applicants elect to prosecute Group I without traverse.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees (or credit any overpayment) associated with this communication to our Deposit Account No. 13-0019. If a fee is required for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 not accounted for above, such extension is requested and such fee should also be charged to our Deposit Account.

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